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Sent via electronic mail only

Mr. Matthew Drange
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RE: Freedom of Information Act Request EPA-R9-2013-008391

Dear Mr. Drange:

This letter is to close the FOIA process in response to your May 2, 2013 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, regarding information on the fate of trichloroethene (TCE) extracted, including information about the activated carbon filters, at the Middlefield-Ellis-Whisman (MEW) Superfund site in Mountain View, California. Although the FOIA was not entered into our FOIA system until last month, EPA believes we have been responsive to your FOIA request. As David Yogi and Alana Lee discussed with you on July 9, 2013, the emails David Yogi provided to you in May 2013 are responsive to your request. There will be no fee for providing the information.

If you have any questions, please contact David Yogi, EPA Press Officer, at 415.972.3350 or Yogi.David@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Richard Hiatt", is positioned above the typed name.

Richard Hiatt
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